THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI S. B. NYAMAGOUDA): (a) and (b) The details are as under:—

	1990-91	1991-92
No. of strikes	45 + 1 BB	58 + 1 GS + 1 B
Mandays Lost	1, 91, 680	308, 471
Production Lost (in MT)	3, 02, 350	468, 178

(c) Under the Industrial Relations System Joint Consultative Machinery has been in operation to sort out and settle matters of dispute and thus prevention of strikes in the Coal Industry.

Note: BB — Bangla Bandh
GS — General Strike in ECL/BCCL/CCL/WCL and CMPDIL
MT — Metric Tonne
B: Bandh in ECL due to death of Ex-PM.

Thermal power plants getting coal from SCCL

3025. DR. NARREDDY THULASI REDDY: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) what are the names of thermal power plants getting coal from Singareni Collieries;

(b) what are the contracts for supply and actual supply to those plants during the years 1990-91 and 1991-92; and

(c) what are the names of other thermal power plants to which coal linkage will be provided from Singareni collieries?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI S. B. NYAMAGOUDA): (a) and (b) Particulars of linkages sanctioned vis-a-vis actual supplies from Singareni Collieries Company Limited (SCCL) to the linked power houses during the years 1990-91 and 1991-92 are as follows:—

(Figures in lakh tonnes)

Name of Power Houses	1990-91		1991-92	
	Linkage	Supply	Linkage	Supply
(i) Kothagudem	31.95	26.31	35.36	31.46
(ii) Vijayawada	20.40	23.24	32.98	25.90
(iii) Ramagundem 'B'	3.90	2.54	4.20	2.25
(iv) Nellore	1.80	0.48	1.78	1.23
(v) Ramagundam STPS (NTPC)	70.05	50.35	73.08	68.16
(vi) Mettur/Ennore	1.20	0.02	—	1.31
(vii) Parli	13.50	7.12	6.40	2.84
(viii) Raichur	14.85	13.72	18.16	7.58

(c) Following additional linkages from SCCL have so far been agreed to:

(i) Raichur (3rd & 4th Unit)
(ii) Muddanur (1st & 2nd Unit)
(iii) Vijayawada (4th Unit)

Fifth Wage Negotiation on Coal

3026. SHRI SUNIL BASU RAY: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Fifth Wage Negotiation on Coal has not yet started;

(b) if so, what are the reasons therefor;

(c) the time since when it was due to start;

(d) whether it is also a fact that industrial relation is becoming tense as a consequence thereof coal industry;

(e) if so, what remedial steps Government have taken in this regard?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI S. B. NYAMAGOUDA): (a) and (b) The National Coal Wage Agreement-V is drawn up on the recommendation of the Joint Bipartite Committee for Coal Industry (JBCCI) which consists of the representatives of management of coal industry and coal mine workers. Coal India Limited has been authorised to constitute JBCCI-V in consultation with JBCCI-IV. A core group consisting of representatives from JBCCI-IV has been formed to deliberate and decide the constitution of JBCCI-V.

(c) The Nationed Coal Wage Agreement-V was to become operational from 1st July, 1991.

(d) Bharatiya Mazdoor Sabha has sent in representations for early decision on the subject.

(e) As soon as JBCCI-V is constituted the negotiation for National Coal Wage Agreement-V will commence.

कोयले की ढुलाई के लिए निविदाएं

3027. **श्री रामसिंह राठवा:** क्या कोयला मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या यह सच है कि कोयले की ढुलाई सम्बन्धी निविदाएं प्रस्तुत कर दी गई हैं;

(ख) यदि हां, तो एस० ई० सी० एल० तथा सी० सी० एल० के मामले में इससे संबंधित ब्यौरा क्या है;

(ग) क्या सरकार को किसी ऐसे मामले का पता चला है जिसमें किसी निविदा को स्वीकार करने के बाद रद्द कर दिया गया है; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो उसके क्या कारण हैं?

कोयला मंत्रालय में उप मंत्री (श्री एस० बी० नयमेगौडा): (क) से (घ) इस संबंध में सूचना एकत्रित की जा रही है और सभा-पटल पर रख दी जाएगी।

Package for the Oustsees of Coal Projects

3028. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN:
SHRI VIREN J. SHAH:

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to extend a new comprehensive libaralised compensation package to the oustees of different coal projects;

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard;

(c) by when it is likely to be implemented;

(d) what is the extend to which the new scheme would benefit the oustees who are either covered or not covered by the earlier schemes; and

(e) what is the extend to which it would provide employment opportunities to them?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI S.B. NYAMAGOUDA): (a) There is a proposal to introduce a comprehensive liberalised compensation package for the oustees of different coal projects.

(b) to (e) A final decision is yet to be taken on the components of the package.

Revision of Rate of Royalty to Coal Producing States

3029. SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH:
SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA:

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) what procedure has been laid down for the revision of rate of royalty to coal producing states;

(b) the year when the rate of royalty was last revised;

(c) whether Government propose to